

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

**Leonard Shaner et al.**

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For: VEHICLE SIDE AIRBAG APPARATUS AND SEAT  
CONTAINING SAME

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed 3 May 2007, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to 4 September 2007.

In response to the Office Action mailed 3 May 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: